

NEW PRIMARY LAW

Important Provisions in New Law to Govern Local Candidates.

Despite the fact that we have heretofore stated what candidates in the next primary election must do, there are some who are not thoroughly informed on the subject. We herewith again publish what is a full synopsis of the law:

Each candidate must file a petition with the County Clerk containing the signatures of not less than three, nor more than ten per cent of the vote cast at the last general election for the political party in which the candidate is seeking the nomination.

The total vote in Madison county last November was as follows:

Democrats, 2,956.
Republicans, 2,094.
Progressives, 931.

Therefore, candidates for nomination for county offices should be governed by the following figures:

Democratic candidates, not less than 88 signatures and not more than 295.

Republicans, not less than 62 and not more than 209.

Progressives, not less than 27 and not more than 93.

It is not necessary to secure signatures from each of the precincts in the county, but the signatures from any one precinct must be on separate sheets from the names from any other precinct.

Signatures must not be secured sooner than 90 days prior to the date of the election; therefore no petition should be circulated this year earlier than the 3rd of May.

No voter can sign more than one petition for the same office and each signer must declare that it is his purpose to vote for the candidate for which he signs.

No person shall sign a nominating petition of any candidate in any political party other than that which such signer is a member.

In precincts where registration is required a voter who is not registered, can not sign a petition.

Petitions must be filed with the County Clerk at least thirty days prior to the date of the primary.

Candidates for Magistrate and Constable in the various Magisterial Districts will use the same form as candidates for county offices, and the number of signatures required must not be less than three, nor more than ten per cent of the total vote cast for their respective parties at the last election in the district that is involved.

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Triplet Colts

What is considered a record in the colt producing line among local farmers was made by a mare owned by Jas. Carter, about five miles from town on the Crab Orchard pike last week. Upon going out in the pasture where the mare was kept, on Friday Mr. Carter found two dead colts which had been born during the night. He was sorry to lose them for they were nice looking and fully formed and developed. His surprise may be imagined the next day when, upon going into the corral, he found that the mare had dropped another colt during the night, making triplets born to her in less than 36 hours. The third colt was alive and doing well, and was as fully developed as an ordinary single one. All three are said to have been marked very similarly. —Interior Journal.

Accidently Shoots Self

Boyd Curry, merchant at Greely, Lee county, Friday night while chasing a rat that had just caught a young chicken, with revolver in his hand, stumbled and discharged the weapon which took effect in his knee, inflicting a most painful and probably dangerous wound. His knee-cap was cut completely in two. He was taken to the hospital at Lexington Saturday.

New Dress

The Winchester Democrat comes to us this week in a new dress. It was a well printed paper, but the management saw that there was a demand on part of the public for a larger type.

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MAY 15TH

Annual Reception Day and May Day Exercises

This annual fete day at Eastern Kentucky State Normal School is the big day of the year. Both Model and Normal Schools will keep open house. The general program will be as follows:

8 to 9:45 a. m.—Model School and Normal School in regular rooms—special program for visitors.

10 to 12 m.—Special program in chapel, comprising Roman Wedding, comic dialogue "No Peddlers Wanted," and the cantata, Cinderella in Flower Land. All departments of the school will be represented in this.

Picnic lunch, free to all visitors.

1 to 2 p. m.—Special program in Model Schools.

2 to 4 p. m.—May Day processions and campus festivities including an original fantasy, "A Mid-Summer Day's Dream" produced by Mr. Stott, high school exercises directed by Mr. Hoskinson, and dumb bell exercises, wand drills and ring drills given by grades of Model School.

4 p. m.—Base ball game between Western and Eastern Normal Schools.

8 p. m.—The Senior play, "A Case of Suspicion," given by Model High School, directed by Principal Hoskinson. Also special music and an Italian Folk play.

A mounted exhibit of all the work done in every department both in Normal and Model Schools has been prepared and will be presented to the visitors. This will include regular work, domestic science, sewing, cooking, demonstration, agriculture, sciences, manual training, drawing, art, etc. Much attention has been given to special programs throughout the day. All of the exercises of the day are free and open to the public.

The parents of the children in the Model Schools are expected to be present all day; the entire community is invited to spend the day with the schools. Let every one don his gala attire and be on hand early. Start the day at eight o'clock a. m.

Admission to the night entertainment 10 cents.

FRIDAY SPECIALS

3:30 p. m.—Second base ball game between Western and Eastern. Admission 25 cents.

8:00 p. m.—At chapel, "The Sleeping Beauty," presented by Miss Dilling's pupils, and additional entertaining features. Admission 10 cents.

SATURDAY SPECIALS

3:30 p. m.—Third game between Western and Eastern. Admission 25 cents.

8:00 p. m.—At chapel, "Mr. Bob," with additional entertaining features. Admission 10 cents.

Mrs. R. H. Tomlinson Dead

Mrs. Loula Tomlinson, wife of Attorney R. H. Tomlinson, of Lancaster, died there Tuesday after a long illness. She was 53 years of age and besides her husband, is survived by a daughter and two sons and by two sisters, Mrs. Ada Kinnaird and Mrs. G. C. Swinebroad, of Lancaster, and two brothers, John R. Marrs of Richmond, and William R. Marrs of Knoxville, Tenn. She was a member of the Presbyterian church.

Governor McCreary

Gov. McCreary will make the race for United States Senator. No formal announcement has yet been made, but he has announced his intentions to his friends. When the proclamation of the Seventeenth Amendment to the Constitution is made by Secretary of State Bryan, Gov. McCreary will formally announce.

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SPORTING NEWS

[By Hans]

Barnett's Richmond aggregation defeated the "Star Bloomer Girls" in the ball game Tuesday afternoon by the score of 6 to 1, in a well played game, featured by the pitching of Lewis, catching of Hicks and batting of Winkler for the locals. Winkler secured two doubles and one triple in four trips to the plate. Rose Johnson started the game for the "girls" and pitched good ball for four innings, but weakened and was relieved in the fourth. The girls put up a fast game in the field, but were unable to hit. Attendance about 375.

Richmond defeated Normal School Thursday afternoon. Score 4 to 2.

Withdraws

Judge Allan McCormick, who was hurt by being struck by a C. & O. train several months ago near his home in Montgomery county, has withdrawn from the race for County Judge. He feels the effect to this day of the terrible accident, which resulted in the death of his daughter and injury to himself and will retire from active business life to his farm. —Winchester Democrat.

Cases Transferred

Judge Young transferred the cases of Howard brothers charged with the murder of Osborne, back to Breathitt county. The cases were transferred from Breathitt to Montgomery, and now they go back. Evidently Judge Young thinks that he has established law and order in Breathitt, but "one swallow does not make spring."

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South Bound

No. 31—Cincinnati to Atlanta, arrives and departs (midnight), 12:10 a. m.
No. 71—Richmond to Stanford, departs 6:45 a. m.
No. 1—Louisville to Beattyville, arrives 12:10 p. m., departs 12:15 p. m.
No. 37—Cincinnati to Knoxville, arrives 11:42 a. m., departs 12:12 p. m.
No. 33—Cincinnati to Jacksonville, arrives and departs 11:31 a. m.
No. 27—Richmond to Louisville via Rowland, departs 1:00 p. m.
No. 3—Louisville to Beattyville, arrives 6:45 p. m., departs 7:35 p. m.
No. 9—Cincinnati to Maysville to Stanford, arrives 7:31, departs 7:35 p. m.

North Bound

No. 34—Atlanta to Cincinnati, arrives and departs 4:11 a. m.
No. 10—Stanford to Cincinnati and Maysville, arrives 6:20 a. m., departs 6:25 a. m.
No. 2—Beattyville to Louisville, arrives 7:15 a. m., departs 7:20 a. m.
No. 28—Louisville to Richmond via Rowland, arrives 12:05 p. m.
No. 38—Knoxville to Cincinnati, arrives 1:35 p. m., departs 2:00 p. m.
No. 70—Stanford to Richmond, arrives 2:30 p. m.
No. 4—Beattyville to Louisville, arrives 1:35 p. m., departs 1:40 p. m.
No. 32—Jacksonville to Cincinnati, arrives and departs 5:07.
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